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Charles Bronson, one of Hollywood's hottest actors (*Death Wish, Mr. Majestyk*), was really cooking with gas recently. On the set of his current film, *Breakout,* Bronson and Co-Star **Robert Duvall** were toying with the controls of a $250,000 helicopter when its engine suddenly overheated and caught fire. That unscripted event, of course, had nothing to do with *Breakout's* true-life tale of Adventurer Victor Stadter's copter flight into a Mexican prison to spring wealthy American Joel Kaplan. Nor, for that matter, did some of the scripted scenes; though the actual 1971 jailbreak went uneventfully, not so the movie version. [redacted] unexpectedly watched in amazement as two Jeeploads of movieland police blasted away at Actor [redacted] and Duvall re-enacting the escape. Said Stadter afterward: "I was more scared watching all this than when we did the caper."